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TO CONSIDER POPE'S PROPOSALS THOROLY

Wilson Feels Questions Must Be Analyzed Searchingly Before Discussion

STUDY SUGGESTIONS

Indications are That No Concrete Step Can Be Expected for Several Days

JOINT REPLY IMPROBABLE

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—That the government is determined to give Pope Benedict's peace proposal the most deliberate and painstaking consideration before framing a reply was evidenced again today by developments both at the White House and the state department.

The cabinet, holding its first session since the note arrived, avoided any general discussion of the subject because President Wilson is understood to feel that there must be a searching analysis of the questions raised before such discussion would be profitable.

Continue to Study Proposals.

Secretary Lansing and his advisers continued their study of the pontiff's suggestions with every indication that it probably would be several days before any concrete steps could be expected.

Meantime, however, the undercurrent of official thought manifestly continued to trend toward a conviction that the grand alliance will find some of the proposals in the vaticano very difficult to accept.

Out of appearance it is believed the reply to be made, whatever its character, must enter at some length into the several propositions advanced.

May Reply Separately.

While in a few days exchanges may begin between Washington and the entente capitals and perhaps between Secretary Lansing and the diplomatic representatives of these powers here, official opinion inclines to the belief that there will be a separate reply from each nation rather than a joint response as forecast in some foreign despatches.

Must Deliberate Carefully.

Copenhagen, Aug. 17.—The German government's attitude on so important a matter as the peace proposal of Pope Benedict can only be announced after a most careful deliberation, particularly as its decision can only be taken in full accord with Germany's allies. A statement to this effect has been communicated by the German foreign office to the German press.

Thinks Plan Unacceptable.

Amsterdam, Aug. 16.—The *Kreuz Zeitung* of Berlin, a copy of which has been received here, says sympathy with the pope's wish for peace must disappear when it is seen that he has united himself with such conditions as restorations and no indemnities.

The Berlin *Tageliech* *Rundschau* considers that the nature of the peace outlined by the pope must compel the Central Powers to refuse the offices of the pontiff. This newspaper says it fears the affair will have an unhappy influence not only in Austria but among the Catholics of Germany.

Reserves Judgment on Proposal.

The *Koelnisches Zeitung* reserves judgment on the proposal until the full text of the pope's note is obtained. Nevertheless, it considers the proposal to enter into negotiations on the basis of the pontiff's program should not be rejected.

This newspaper asserts that it is not aware of the German government's attitude, but that it believes logic prescribes that the government, in conformity with its previous attitude should follow the path indicated by the pontiff.

"The German people and government have the will and courage for peace," says the *Koelnisches Zeitung*.

Favor's Pope's Plan.

Rome, Aug. 16.—"The Pope's peace proposals are true restoration in the sense of Lloyd-George's last speech and constitute a peace as outlined by President Wilson while they also correspond to peace without annexation or indemnities supported in other quarters," says the *Corriere D'Italia*, the semi-official organ of the Vatican. The paper adds that the pope's note does not propose to return to the status quo and suggests the restoration of "the old kingdom of Poland" as it was before being dismembered by the three empires.

The note suggests autonomy for Armenia, a re-arrangement of the colonies and the return of Alsace-Lorraine and Trent and Triest to their respective nationalities. "Is it possible that the Central Powers will consent to make peace, imposing upon them such sacrifices, the word 'restoration'?" asks the *Corriere D'Italia*.

Must Announce Terms.

The *Giornale D'Italia* says the central empires will now be obliged to announce their conditions of peace which the pope will communicate.

BERNSTORFF TO TAKE POST IN TURKEY

BERLIN, Aug. 15.—via London—The appointment of Count Von Bernstorff, former ambassador to the United States, as German ambassador at Constantinople is forecast. Count Von Bernstorff arrived in Berlin today and has been in conference with Imperial Chancellor Michaelis.

The former ambassador at Washington is well acquainted with conditions in Turkey and the Balkans. His first diplomatic assignment was as an embassy attaché in Constantinople thirty years ago. Later he was secretary of the legation at Belgrade and he has been German consul-general in Egypt.

MINE WORKERS' HEAD ISSUES STATEMENT

Calls On Labor to "Play Our Part in the War Manfully

White Declares "There is no Sound Reason for Pessimism in the Ranks of Labor if We are Awake to Opportunity."

Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 17.—A call to laboring men to "play our part in the war manfully" with "unstinted loyalty to the United States" was issued here tonight in a statement on "labor day, 1917" by John P. White, international president of the United Mine Workers of America. "The government is demanding co-operation between employer and employee to meet the country's war requirements," Mr. White said. "The eyes of the world are focused to see how quickly and efficiently the government's demands will be met.

Hard Coal Production Increases.

"In the anthracite coal fields, where recognition of the union and the eight hour day was gained in 1916, with a shortage of upwards of 20,000 miners who have gone to the munition plants, to subway work in New York and others called to the colors, coal production increased 6,000,000 tons for the first seven months of the year.

"In the organized bituminous coal regions and in all other well organized industries where employer and employee are possessed of each other's confidence like increase of production has resulted.

"This efficient result is a complete answer to those who would destroy without reason the ideal conditions and working agreements of labor. Should Observe Contracts.

"The proud boast of every trade unionist should be unstinted loyalty to the United States of America. Observance of contracts should be the aim of every member as well as every union official. We must play our part in the war manfully and well.

"We must ungrudgingly give the best that is in us if we are to expect the best in return. When the curtain falls on the world's most deplorable slaughter in history let it be said of organized labor that every measure of industrial democracy enjoyed when we started out to make the world safe for democracy has been maintained.

"There is no sound reason for pessimism in the ranks of labor if we are awake to opportunity. So on this labor day, 1917, let us cement our hopes out of mutual interest and hope for world-wide uplift—world wide peace, the expressed aim of the war."

NUMBER OF MINES RESUME OPERATIONS

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Aug. 17.—The backbone of the strike of drivers and day men in the coal mines of central and southern Illinois, which has curtailed the daily Illinois output by 75,000 tons, was broken today when a number of miners resumed operations.

Reports received at the headquarters of the miners' association and by Secretary McLaughlin of the Illinois Coal Operators' association indicated that more mines would be at work tomorrow, and that by Monday practically all mines affected by the walkout would be turning out the normal coal supply.

The decision by miners' locals to return to work was brought about by the positive order of President Frank Farrington that drivers and day men who refused to go back would be expelled from their union and their places filled.

More meetings were being held today by miners' locals to act on the Farrington order.

MAKE NINE MORE ARRESTS IN RIOT CASE

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., Aug. 17.—Nine more arrests were made here today on the indictments returned last Tuesday night by the grand jury that investigated the East St. Louis riots, bringing the total number of arrests since yesterday morning to 39. With the arrests made Tuesday night and counting the nine white men and four negroes already in prison on whom capsises were served soon after the indictments were returned, papers in the cases have been served on 58.

It became known today that six or seven members of the Third Illinois Artillery stationed at Springfield, Ill., were indicted in connection with the riots. They were not members of the national guard at the time of the riots, but joined afterwards.

Whether they shall be arrested has been submitted to Attorney General Brundage who has returned to Springfield.

It is doubtful if all the persons indicted can be arrested within the next few days as some may have left the city to avoid imprisonment.

TWO GUARD DIVISIONS MAY GO TO FRANCE

Twenty-sixth May Accompany Forty-second Division

Report is Current That Sufficient Shipping Will be Available for Forwarding Two Divisions Within the Time Fixed for the Departure of the Forty-Second.

Washington, Aug. 17.—Two army divisions instead of one, comprising a total of at least 38,000 men, probably will make up the first contingent of the national guard to go to France. Altho no official confirmation was obtainable, there was evidence today that the composite forty-second division whose organization recently was announced will be accompanied abroad by the twenty-sixth, made up of New England guardsmen. No New England states are among the twenty-six that have representation in the composite division.

The commander of the twenty-sixth is Major General Clarence Edwards, now acting as commander of the department of the northeast and it is presumed he will go to Europe with the division.

The forty-second is commanded by Major General W. A. Mann. A report was current today that sufficient shipping will be available for forwarding two divisions within the time fixed for the departure of the forty-second and that the twenty-sixth had been selected to go because it came from a compact area and is composed, for the most part, of regiments of high rating.

The forty-second division is being mobilized at Mineola, Long Island under the new European standard which requires that the strength of the individual infantry regiments be increased more than 50 per cent. The process necessitates the addition of some units not included in the original order to give the 250 men necessary for one company hundreds of men have been transferred to fill up the regiments selected to go.

All the other national guard divisions will go thru a similar process on their arrival at the divisional camp.

No hint has been given as to the probable time it will require to prepare the forty-second for embarkation. As it is a wholly new organization it is logical to assume that it will take some time to get into working shape. The same considerations apply also to the twenty-sixth.

ARREST WOMEN PICKETS AT WHITE HOUSE GATES

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—Formal notice was served by the police today upon leaders of the woman's party that so-called picketing of the white house would be tolerated no longer and that in future banner bearers would be arrested as fast as they appeared.

Several hours were allowed for the warning to take effect. Then six women posted at the executive mansion gates were carried off in a patrol wagon, much to the delight of a watching crowd. All the prisoners gave bond for appearance tomorrow to answer charges of obstructing traffic.

Superintendent of Police Pullman personally delivered his warning at the woman's party headquarters. He said the women themselves or somebody else certainly would get hurt if the near riot scenes enacted during the past few days were continued, that the only way to stop the disorder was to stop its cause, and that he proposed to do that.

DRAFTING BILLS FOR ELECTORAL REFORMS

BERLIN, Aug. 15.—via London, Aug. 16.—In addition to drafting bills for electoral reforms, the Prussian ministry of the interior is said to be engaged also in working out legislative measures affecting Prussian constitutional institutions. One of these concerns the re-organization of the upper house which may be patterned after the upper chamber of the diet of Baden with due consideration for the historical development of the Prussian legislative body.

The other measure under advisement concerns the readjustment of Prussian electoral districts, upon which the burden of statistics is now working.

REPORT RENEWAL OF STRIKES IN GERMANY

COPENHAGEN, Aug. 16.—A renewal of strike agitation in war industries, evidently on the part of extreme Socialists, is reported from Berlin. A semi-official notice says that circulars are being distributed in munition factories advocating a walkout.

The notice appeals to the workers not to be misled and not to desert and betray their brothers fighting in the west and east.

DIES OF WOUNDS.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Aug. 17.—Gus Anthony, an alleged bootlegger, died in a hospital here early today following a fight between bootleggers and officers on the outskirts of the city last night in which a companion of Anthony is believed to have been either killed or fatally wounded and Roy Cogswell policeman was shot through both arms.

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SANITARY CORPS TAKES CHARGE OF CAMP GRANT

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 17.—The sanitary corps of the state department of health, which will be permanently located at Camp Grant under the direction of Dr. C. W. East of Galesburg, took charge at the camp today. Dr. C. St. Clair Drake, director of the state health department, has been submitted to Attorney General Brundage who has returned to Springfield.

It is doubtful if all the persons indicted can be arrested within the next few days as some may have left the city to avoid imprisonment.

TARNOWSKY TO BE MINISTER TO SWEDEN

Amsterdam, Aug. 16.—Count Tarnow, the former ambassador to the United States, a semi-official ambassador to the Austro-Hungarian ambassador to the United States, a report received from Stockholm says, will soon become minister to Sweden from Austria-Hungary.

CARTER OPENS COAL PRICE HEARINGS

Acts in Spite of Operators Repudiation of Committee Agreement

WILSON GETS MESSAGE

Report Lowden and Brundage Conferring Over Procedure to Seize Mines

MAYER GIVES STATISTICS

CHICAGO, Aug. 17.—In spite of the repudiation by the Illinois Coal Operators of an agreement by a committee of their leaders to accept whatever prices should be set by supreme Justice O. N. Carter, as state coal controller, public hearings under Judge Carter to determine a fair price for coal began today. In the meantime, Governor Lowden at Springfield, was reported to be conferring with Attorney General Brundage over the procedure of the state to seize the mines and considering the alternative of a special session of the legislature to give specific price fixing.

Wilson Receives Resolution

According to Washington President Wilson had received the resolutions adopted here yesterday at a conference of governors and state councils of middle west states urging federal action to fix prices.

Samuel Insull, chairman of the

state council of defense reviewing the price situation in opening the hearing before Judge Carter presented statistical evidence to establish the contention of the council that present prices are "indefensible."

Introduces Communication

A communication from Congressman Ira Copley, attributing exorbitant prices to the railroads rather than the coal operators was introduced by Mr. Mayer and was challenged by R. H. Aishton, president of the Chicago & Northwestern railroad and Charles H. Markham, president of the Illinois Central. They testified that the railroads both of the state and the United States have handled more coal in recent months than ever before in their history. The Illinois Central, the Chicago & Northwestern, the Chicago & Eastern Illinois and the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy have loaded in the four months from April to July inclusive more than 7,200,000 tons of coal than in the same months last year, which held the record up to that time, according to Mr. Markham.

The extraordinary demands upon the railroads this year were explained by Mr. Markham. In ordinary years, he said, there are 31,500,000 tons of coal go up the great lakes by boats. This year owing to the enormous tonnage of ore there has been a shortage of vessel tonnage and there will be a shortage of this class of coal from 10,000,000 to 15,000,000 which will have to be made up by movement from the Illinois, Indiana and Kentucky fields. There has never been a time, he said, when the coal movements averaged so many miles a day. Mr. Markham declared the railroads were storing many hundreds of thousands of tons of coal in order to release their rolling stock next winter for commercial use but denied that this storage would tend to increase the price of coal.

Clifford Thorne represented the public utility bureau at the hearing and Milton Robinson appeared on behalf of the retailers.

Announces Refusal

The refusal of the operators to abide by the agreement of the coal committee and participate in the hearings were announced by a committee of operators who read a report reached after three days of conference. They charged that the former committee had specified that their action was only personal and not binding on the great group of operators and declared that Governor Lowden had been precipitate in announcing that the coal men had agreed to the plan for a price fixed by a coal controller.

He further held that the food bill gives the federal government full control over intra as well as interstate business and contended that in making the agreement they would be liable for violation not only of the fuel and food bill but of the Sherman anti-trust act.

TARNOWSKY TO BE MINISTER TO SWEDEN

East St. Louis, Ill., Aug. 17.—In the story of arrests here yesterday in connection with the East St. Louis riots, the name of Thomas Benton was sent out erroneously. The name should have been Thomas Boston, Democratic politician and former candidate for sheriff. He is charged with assault to kill.

EXPECT SHARP FIGHT ON WAR TAX BILL MONDAY

Senate Disposes of Many Uncontested Provisions

Wine and Motor Vehicle Schedules Among Features Acted on—Senator Smoot Says Motor Tax Will Fall on Those Able to Bear It.

Washington, Aug. 17.—Disposition by the senate today of many uncontested provisions of the \$2,000,000 war tax bill almost cleared the way for the sharp fight which probably will begin Monday over income and war tax profits. Among important features disposed of during the day were the wine and motor vehicle schedules.

The revisions of the finance committee levying between \$40,000,000 and

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POSTPONING LAW
ENFORCEMENT.

There has been much agitation about liquor business and the report of the attorney general on vice conditions in Peoria has been so disturbing that the mayor of the distillery city has announced that saloons will be required to close on Sunday dating from September 15. Since it is contrary to the laws of the state for saloons to remain open on Sunday, the question naturally arises why the mayor announces a future date for the beginning of law enforcement.

ANOTHER ECONOMY EXAMPLE.

It has been announced that the Veiled Prophet parade and ball will not be given in St. Louis this fall. This will be the first time since 1878 that this event has not been a part of the autumnal festivities in St. Louis. The omission is to be made as a matter of patriotism, the St. Louisans deciding that this is not a time for the expenditure of money in the line of pageantry or in expensive balls. Thus we have another instance which goes to prove that these are war times and different from anything that America has seen for more than fifty years.

PUBLICITY SHOULD
NOT ALL BE FREE.

This in truth is not the time for men to place business above patriotism but the newspapers of the country do not consider that in asking the government to use paid advertising for the next liberty loan that they are getting away from patriotic paths. The publicity given the first liberty loan was valued at millions of dollars. Since the newspapers have nothing to sell but their space they are justified in the suggestion to the government that some of this space should be bought and paid for in advertising the next issue of the bonds. The national advertising advisory board of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World recently made a publicity proposition to Secy. McAdoo which would cost the government from a million to two million dollars and this proposition is now being considered by the secretary.

THE RAILROADS' GOOD RECORD.

The railroads thru announcements

GRAND OPERA HOUSE

TODAY

CHESS DAVIS

And His Company in
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The Popular Rube Comedian

CLYDE HOOPER

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made by the railroad board are rightly claiming some honors for the way business has been speeded up in response to the wishes of the federal council of defense. By placing the management of all the roads of the country practically under the control of a small committee various changes of operation have been made which will result in the movement of a greatly increased amount of freight. This accomplishment has been beneficial to the country and also has been helpful to the railroads. The figures made public by the board about tonnage miles and the amount of freight moved by comparison with other years are indeed creditable. The showing is such that one cannot see how or reason the railroads can ever again return to the old system of management. Their co-operative effort is resulting in such an increase of efficiency and consequently greater earning power that the reforms in methods of management are almost certain to continue after the war closes.

CHICAGO MAYOR IS ASSAILED.

In Aurora the other day a committee of citizens advised a man who was circulating copies of a Chicago paper to leave town. This paper is a weekly publication said to be the organ of Mayor Thompson and the Aurora citizens objected to its attacks on the conscription law and various other unpatriotic utterances. This leads to the statement that Mayor Thompson of Chicago is nowadays condemned almost as much in the down state press as he is in Chicago. Shortly after the mayor was elected he settled the street car strike with remarkable efficiency and several other good acts were credited to him, which indicated that his election was the result of an accidental combination of circumstances, that the city was going to be well served.

But the mayor has not proved big enough for his job and the past year or two the history of his official conduct has been merely the record of one mistake after another. The press has been most vigorous in denouncing him because of his unpatriotic course which was brought to notice by his refusal to invite the French and English mission to visit Chicago. Since that time the mayor has persisted in his protests against the war, against conscription and against various acts of the federal government in war preparations. So in time of a great crisis the mayor of the second city in the country, according to the verdict of a majority of the people, is failing miserably to measure up to his responsibility.

This condition has led the Bloomington Pantagraph to say that Mayor Thompson has furnished about the best practical argument recorded for the adoption of the recall of public officials.

WAR REVENUE PLANS.

The question of war revenues is the absorbing theme in congress and it is occupying the attention of private citizens and financiers as well. One of the most unusual suggestions with reference to means of war revenues was that made by Otto H. Kahn, a New York banker, who advocates a war tax on all purchases above \$5. This banker believes that a tax of one percent or less on all purchases above \$5, excluding food stuffs and raw materials, would not only produce an enormous revenue but that it would mean less of hardship and complication than almost any other plan. The question of taxation in equitable ways is so complex that the average man can hardly discuss it with intelligence.

But certainly there is something which interests in the Kahn plan. People of small means would pay little under this plan of taxation for their purchases would mainly be in amounts below the \$5 mark. It would mean that the war revenue burden would be paid by those persons making the larger purchases. The plan contemplates also having this tax as a separate item, known to the purchaser and not included by the merchant in his selling price.

This is a feature also which has its appeal for many revenue taxes assessed by the government placed on commercial transactions are paid for originally by the merchant and the cost is then passed on to the public without their knowledge. Only one thing is certain about war revenue, and that is that it must and will be raised.

THE GOVERNOR'S VIEW
OF THE WAR.

Gov. Lowden in his chautauqua address yesterday handled the relations of America to the great war in the straightforward, logical way that marks all his public utterances. The governor sees that the right of the

people to govern themselves is the principle that is on trial. He sees that this is in reality an American war, altho the battle line happens to be drawn upon European soil. It is an American war because those who believe in self-government and those who believe people should be governed by military authority above them are engaging in the final struggle.

In view of the efforts that Gov. Lowden has been putting forth recently to solve the fuel problem for Illinois and to secure a reasonable price for coal, his statement yesterday about the dividing paths of patriotism and greed has special force. The speaker said in unequivocal language that business men are facing the problem whether they will be controlled by patriotism or by their desire to amass fortunes as the world conflict rages.

The governor does not go much on "flowers and flags" in his style of oratory but he has a natural eloquence—a forcefulness of speech which gives him the attention of his audience the instant he begins. The discussion yesterday of the war question was clear, frank and fearless and he spoke with the fervor of one who is carrying great burdens upon his heart—one who realizes the seriousness of the present situation but who has the courage to face it and who believes that the rights of the people must and will prevail.

Rippling Rhymes

By WALT MASON

HUMBLE TOIL

All day I ply the ax and saw, and
hew the elm and maple, the hemlock
dry and willow raw, the fancy woods
and staple. "It is a tinhorn job,"

men say, as they go, chugging by me,
in autos glittering and gay, "a job
that's punk and slimy." Perhaps
some day I'll run bank—I hope

as much, beshrew me!—and in a
gilded cage I'll yank the shining
roubles toward me. But now I'm
busy hewing wood, the toughest
wood invented; and any sort of
work looks good, and I am quite
contented. The man who likes his
present task, and works with vigor,
wise is; some day he'll get whatever
he'll ask, from Fortune's box of
prizes. The man who starts his daily
stunt with kick and cuss and grumble,
who shows the world a dolorful
front, because his job is humble, will
always have a humble task, so long
as he has any, while cheerful fellows
rise and bask in blessings rich and
many. I hew the hemlock and the
birch, and they are hard to sever,
but for a grouch you'd have to
search my form, in vain, forever.
All day I stick to work like wax;
"keep busy" is my motto; and some
day I will drop my ax, and travel
in my auto.

THIS DATE IN HISTORY

August 18, 1835—The last of the Indians, 800, withdrew from Chicago and its immediate vicinity, celebrating their departure by a hideous war dance through the streets of the town.

The annual picnic of the Oxford M. E. church will be held in the Sears grove, north of town, Wednesday, Aug. 22. Everybody is cordially welcomed to attend. The celebrated Merritt band will furnish the music.

THE GIRL WITH THE
WHITE HORSE TANDEM.

The people waited and waited; the women with children to watch and dinners to get worried; the women with two in the baby buggy, and two on foot were feeling it "getting on their nerves," and even the men setting up an entertainment for the kids which cost them nothing were beginning to give out.

At last the parade due at ten o'clock began coming up Church street, from the Wabash crossing, and all were alert, if it was "growing" to one o'clock.

The bosses in their auto led off, and then the big wagon came, with a band which saved its breath for the Square.

Then came the girls with metallic fish-scale dresses cooking them up, each on a white horse, and each driving another milky steed ahead of her.

Things were getting interesting.

The fourth and last lady on the white horse was just turning her tandem east on North street, apparently seeing nothing in particular. But she did see something!

For a young boy, head pretty well down, on a bicycle rushed around on to North street, just as an auto came toward him, pretty fast, and the auto stopped short as the boy dodged south of it. But the young woman on the white horse gave a startled look, and as quickly dropped back to the common place—for the boy escaped!

SEEK TO REMOVE STREET
CAR TRACK ON EAST STATE

A petition has been filed by the Jacksonville Railway & Light company with the state utilities commission for authority to take up the railroad tracks on East State street extending east from the railroad to a point 900 feet beyond Johnson street. When the track was laid it was the expectation that the crossing of the railroad tracks would be maintained and that an interurban would be built into Jacksonville from Springfield. The city council has indicated that it will not file objections before the board to the proposed action. The company now maintains one car on that part of the tract mentioned and this operates only during certain hours of the day. Passage of frequent railroad trains makes it impossible to maintain any regular service in connection with the main East State street line.

AUTO AND RIG COLLIDE
NEAR MURRAYVILLE.

Mr. and Mrs. Jephtha Whitlock, and grandson Laurel Whitlock, had a narrow escape from injury about 4 o'clock Friday afternoon when the rig they were driving and a car driven by Clyde Spencer collided on a bridge southeast of the village.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitlock were on their way home and upon reaching the edge of the bridge saw the car descending a hill on the opposite side. As the bridge was narrow but did not succeed in getting across before the car struck them. Mr. Spencer saw the rig before reaching the bridge too, but for some reason, perhaps on account of the grade of the hill, could not bring the auto to a stop in time.

All the occupants of the rig were thrown out. Mrs. Whitlock was hurt in the side but Dr. C. E. Waters, who was called to attend her, declared that no bones were broken and that Mrs. Whitlock's injuries consisted of bruises only.

EXPLODING TORPEDO
INJURES TWO TRAINMEN

Accident Near Decatur Results Seriously for Two Wabash Employees
Both Known in Jacksonville.

The following from the Decatur Review will be of special interest here as both of the Wabash trainmen mentioned have regular employment on this division and are well known here:

"Conductor Isaac Moore, of Springfield, and Brakeman Fred Henry, also of Springfield, were both seriously injured Wednesday morning when a dynamite torpedo cap, which they had picked up, exploded.

"Moore will probably lose at least one hand, and maybe both. His face is terribly lacerated. Brakeman Henry will lose three fingers from his right hand. He also suffered several lacerations.

"The men were investigating the mechanism of the torpedo while they were waiting for their call in the east Decatur yards near the shops. The special agent who is on duty in and near the shops, is said to have found the torpedoes scattered along the right of way and to have given them to the men, saying that they were dangerous to be left lying about on the tracks.

"When they started to investigate the mechanism of the torpedo, it exploded.

"R. A. Thornell, special patrolman who is in charge of the yards and the shops, found the two dynamite caps lying along the right of way and took them to the caboose where the men were standing and gave them to the trainmen, saying that he was going back to look for more."

The accident happened Wednesday forenoon at 10:30 o'clock and the men were taken at once to the Wabash hospital, where immediate surgical attention was given. The condition of both the men remains serious.

The dynamite caps, it is thought, fell from a car load of munitions, which passed thru the yards.

EAT ICE CREAM AT ALEXANDER
TONIGHT.

MORTUARY

Ward

Funeral services for Mrs. Mildred Overton Ward were held from the residence 523 Hardin avenue Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in charge of the Rev. J. H. Fisher, pastor of Bethel A. M. E. church. Music was furnished by the church choir. Burial was in Jacksonville cemetery, the bearers being James Mathews, Lewis Postley, Reuben Hyatt, George Emmerson, Fred Samuels and John Blue.

Lindemann

Mrs. Rosina Hannah Lindemann of the family home 523 Hardin avenue Friday afternoon at 1:15 o'clock. Death came after an illness of three weeks and was due to a complication of diseases.

Deceased was the daughter of Chris and Mary Schlatter Mader and was born in Waverly, March 18, 1877. She grew to womanhood in schools of that city.

December 20, 1899, she was united in marriage to Henry Lindemann. They resided there for a time and then moved to Jacksonville. Later they returned to Waverly but several years ago they returned to this city which has since been her home. Besides her husband she is survived by four daughters, Maurine Mary, Doris Martha, Mary Eleanor and Virginia Ruth all residing at home. She also leaves her father and two brothers, George M. and Charles F. Mader.

Mrs. Lindemann was a member of Congregational church and of the Court of Honor. She was a woman devoted to her home and won the friendship and esteem of all with whom she came in contact.

The remains will be taken to Waverly today and funera services will be held there Sunday afternoon the time to be announced later. Burial will be in Waverly cemetery.

Schaefer.

Miss Lola Schaefer of Arenzville died at her home Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock after an illness of a year's duration. The deceased was a sister of Mrs. Stacy Colvin of Hardin avenue. Five brothers and two other sisters survive also. Miss Schaefer was a member of the Presbyterian church and at all times lived the life of a devoted Christian worker.

The funeral will be held at Arenzville this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock and burial will be made in Arenzville cemetery.

WITH THE SICK

Mrs. Robert Schrag of Belleville, who has been quite ill, is in serious condition, according to word received by her brother-in-law, W. W. Schrag. Mr. and Mrs. Schrag were Belleville visitors the first of the week.

AUTO AND RIG COLLIDE
NEAR MURRAYVILLE.

Mr. and Mrs. Jephtha Whitlock, and grandson Laurel Whitlock, had a narrow escape from injury about 4 o'clock Friday afternoon when the rig they were driving and a car driven by Clyde Spencer collided on a bridge southeast of the village.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitlock were on their way home and upon reaching the edge of the bridge saw the car descending a hill on the opposite side. As the bridge was narrow but did not succeed in getting across before the car struck them. Mr. Spencer saw the rig before reaching the bridge too, but for some reason, perhaps on account of the grade of the hill, could not bring the auto to a stop in time.

All the occupants of the rig were thrown out. Mrs. Whitlock was hurt in the side but Dr. C. E. Waters, who was called to attend her, declared that no bones were broken and that Mrs. Whitlock's injuries consisted of bruises only.

E. N. Kitner has returned from St. Louis where he has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Harney.

CHAUTAUQUA OPENS
WITH FINE PROGRAM

CITY AND COUNTY

Liss Lena Kaylor of Baylis was a visitor in the city Friday.

Mrs. J. W. Robertson of Prentice was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Herman Werries of Chapin was among the city visitors Friday.

Miss Lela Bayless of Concord was a shopper in Jacksonville yesterday.

Dick Butler and family were in the city yesterday from Woodson.

Mrs. George C. Bement of Orleans was in the city yesterday.

Joseph Hagan of Murrayville was in the city Friday.

J. D. Terhune of Springfield was a city caller yesterday.

Mrs. Henry Dillman of White Hall was a city shopper yesterday.

Miss Hattie Cox of Murrayville was a city visitor yesterday.

Mrs. Belle Hettick of Scottville was a city shopper yesterday.

Mrs. Charles Ezard of Woodson was a city shopper yesterday.

O. K. Taylor of Winchester paid the city a visit yesterday.

William Sampson of Manchester was a city caller yesterday.

Samuel Thompson of the Point vicinity was a city caller yesterday.

William Algier of Mt. Sterling spent Friday in the city on business.

C. A. Browning was here from Division yesterday visiting friends.

Warren W. Wright of Murrayville was a visitor in the city yesterday.

H. B. Sparks of Franklin traded with local merchants Friday.

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Miss Rose Hobbs of Murrayville paid the city a visit yesterday.

Fred McLaughlin of Winchester was an arrival in the city yesterday.

Mike McGrath of Woodson was a city caller yesterday.

Lee Sturdy of Lynnville paid the city a visit yesterday.

Hermon Dahman was a visitor in the city yesterday from Franklin.

Fred E. Read of Franklin was a Jacksonville visitor yesterday.

E. O. Spink of Chandlersville was among Friday visitors in the city.

John Tuite, Jr., was a city caller yesterday from Alexander.

Miss Clara Crouse of Murrayville was a city caller yesterday.

Mrs. Henry Dillman of White Hall was a city shopper yesterday.

Miss Stella Doolin of Woodson was a city visitor yesterday.

Miss Louise German of Lynnville was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ratliff of Virginia were city shoppers yesterday.

Arthur Miles of Cass county called on Jacksonville friends yesterday.

Charles Flynn of Woodson called on city friends yesterday.

Miss Stella Doolin of Woodson was a city shopper yesterday.

Miss Louise German of Lynnville was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Gordon of Murrayville visited the city yesterday.

Fletcher Mathers of Chapin was a city visitor yesterday.

Fred G. Dobson of Murrayville was a city caller yesterday.

Gus Smith was up to the city from Franklin yesterday.

Bert Myers of Woodson was a city caller yesterday.

Mrs. Samuel Farmer of Prentice was a city shopper yesterday.

Miss Bertha Thady of Murrayville visited city people yesterday.

George Burmeister of Arcadia was a caller on city people yesterday.

Rev. W. E. Keenan and family drove up to the city yesterday in their automobile.

Newton Hubbs of Prentice made a business trip to the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Little and son were up to the city from Winona yesterday.

Clarence Quintal of the vicinity of Winchester was added to the list of city callers yesterday.

Newton Woods of Franklin made a trip to the city in his Ford car yesterday.

J. W. McAllister of Woodson made a trip to the city in his Ford car yesterday.

Red Ginder of the northwest part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

E. W. Gowdy of Bloomington was transacting business in the city yesterday.

C. J. Haworth and Harry Bray of Quincy called on local business men Friday.

E. F. Grubbs and J. W. Herbert of Quincy were among the Friday visitors in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Robinson of St. Louis were visiting friends in the city yesterday.

J. S. Henry of East St. Louis is visiting relatives and friends in the city for a few days.

Rev. F. M. Crabtree of White Hall was a Friday visitor in the city.

Miss Martha Etyne of Carrollton was among the out of town visitors in the city Friday.

Mrs. Irene Cox of Litchfield was among the visitors in the city Friday.

Miss Marie Anderson of Hillsboro is a guest of Mrs. Anthony Bracon on South East street.

W. E. Beddingfield of Joy Prairie rode to town in his Maxwell car yesterday.

I. J. Nunes and family came up to town from Meredosia in their Reo car yesterday.

Misses Georgie Mawson and Isabel Sharpe were up to the city from Murrayville yesterday.

James Hiles of Kansas is visiting friends in Virginia and was in the city yesterday.

John Kennedy and family came down to the city yesterday from Arcadia in their Maxwell car.

Howard Wilding of Strawn's Crossing made a trip to the city yesterday.

Samuel F. Hansmeier of Concord brought his family to the city yesterday in his Maxwell car.

Mrs. John Myers of the neighborhood of Buckhorn was a city caller yesterday.

William Denby of the region of the Point came to the city yesterday.

The Knights of Columbus baseball club will play the Chapin Independents Sunday.

Miss Laura M. Fitzsimmons was in the city yesterday from Woodson.

Misses Stella Doolin of Woodson and Louise German of Lynnville were in the city Friday.

C. A. Allen of Chapin rode up to the city in his Halliday car yesterday.

Miss Ollie Christianer helped represent Meredosia in the city yesterday.

Oliver Coulas of the region of Lynnville rode to the city in his Overland car yesterday.

Benjamin Davenport of Alexander made a trip to the city in his Overland car yesterday.

Daniel Geiger and wife of Arlenzville made a trip to the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Grey of Northerville made a trip to the city yesterday.

Misses Margaret, Marie and Louise Fitzpatrick were in the city from Lynnville yesterday.

Fred Quinn of the south part of the county was a city visitor yesterday.

Fred Coulas of the southwest part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Mrs. H. Vallery of Arenville rode to the city yesterday in her Maxwell car.

A. G. Brockhouse of Chapin was a business visitor in Jacksonville yesterday.

Miss Ella Ratliff of Virginia is visiting Miss Besse Harding on Greenwood avenue.

Marshall Smith and family come to the city from Concord yesterday in their Buick car.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reed and children came up to the city from Franklin yesterday.

Gus Vallery of Arenville rode to the city yesterday in his Maxwell car.

Miss Julia Potts of White Hall was added to the list of city shoppers yesterday.

Ernest Clark of Literberry was a traveler to the city yesterday in his Interstate car.

Miss Stella Doolin of Woodson was a city shopper yesterday.

Miss Louise German of Lynnville was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Naylor of Arenville called on city friends yesterday.

Mrs. O. E. Rexroat of Arcadia

O. M. Peterfish and family came down to the city from Literberry yesterday in their Interstate car.

Guy Moore of the southeast part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Arthur Miles of Cass county called on Jacksonville friends yesterday.

Charles Flynn of Woodson called on city friends yesterday.

Miss Louise German of Lynnville was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Edgar Masters of the southeast part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

William Penell of the south part of the county called in the city yesterday.

Mrs. George Flynn of Prentice was added to the list of city callers yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lorton of Murrayville precinct called in the city yesterday.

Edward McNeil of Nortonville rode to the city yesterday in his Maxwell car.

Mrs. C. M. Edwards of Scottville was one of the city shoppers yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wilding of Strawn's Crossing were city shoppers yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Denly were city arrivals from White Hall yesterday.

Mrs. A. C. Rexroat has returned from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. E. L. Clark of Literberry.

Mrs. Herman Baumaister and children were in the city from Buckhorn yesterday.

W. R. Baumaister of Sinclair rode his Maxwell car to the city yesterday.

J. J. Sheppard of Nortonville traveled to the city yesterday in his Buick car.

Russell Hamilton of Winchester rode to town yesterday in his Buick car.

Lee Adams of the east part of the county rode to the city yesterday in his Ford car.

Gene Thomas and Mrs. Frank Thomas arrived in the city from Palmyra yesterday.

Mrs. Henry Thies of the southwest part of the county called in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dobson of Murrayville rode up to the city yesterday.

Ira Taylor of Winchester traveled to the city yesterday in his Overland car.

E. L. Tindall of the east part of the county was a city caller yesterday.

Mrs. Rowena Baumgardner and daughter of Naples are guests at the home of C. C. Carter and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. John Flynn of Clements called on Mrs. Flynn's brother, Thomas Duffner yesterday.

John Baumaister of Antioch vicinity visited the city in his Maxwell car yesterday.

Charles Stevenson and family came down to the city from Little Indian yesterday in their Ford car.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ranson, of the southeast part of the county visited the city yesterday.

Mrs. Catherine McCarty of New Berlin was a city shopper yesterday.

A. A. Curry and friends came to the city yesterday in the handsome new Marmon car recently bought.

J. D. Henry of Hamilton of Bluffs drove to the city in his Mitchell car yesterday.

Miss Anna Ratliff of Virginia was among the Friday visitors in the city.

T. D. Doan of Scottville was among the visitors in the city Friday.

Royal Oaks of Bluffs was attending to business in the city yesterday.

Fred Perkins of Winchester was among Scott county visitors in the city yesterday.

MAY SECURE QUOTA OF 121 WITHOUT FURTHER CALL

Local Exemption Board Complete Hearings Friday and are Engaged in Preparing Their Report—Will Examine Additional Men as Required for Wastage—Three Re-examined Friday

The Morgan county exemption board on Friday completed the hearings of claimants for exemption and are preparing the report, which will be given out soon, probably Monday.

According to the statement of Miller Weir, president of the board, Friday it is possible that the required quota of 121 men may be certified to the district board by the Morgan county board out of the first call of 242 men for examination. It is highly probable that another call may soon be necessary, however, to supply losses on the score of industrial exemptions or federal re-examination. No intimation has yet been given of the attitude of the district board toward industrial exemptions in this territory and the number of men who will have to be examined in order to take the place of men thus discharged, is therefore hard to estimate.

More Men Pass

Saturday, Aug. 18, is the last legal date for the filing of evidence and claimants for exemption have thus until tonight to offer any new proof for consideration of the board.

Five men were given the physical examination by the local board Friday. They were:

O. H. Christianer, Meredosia, re-examined, passed.

Curtis Kelly, Murrayville, re-examined, passed.

George W. Musch, Arenzville, re-examined, passed.

C. E. Cunningham, Poplar, Montana, and now a Morgan county resident, passed.

Cornelius V. Bressler, Baltimore, Md., passed.

Mr. Kelley is the only one of the three men re-examined, who filed claim for exemption.

Fine Spirit Shown

During the four days that the exemption hearings have been in progress, there has been but little cause for complaint on the part of the examiners. The response of the men to summons has been virtually perfect and the spirit shown at the hearings indicates a high degree of same patriotic feeling on the part of all. The men called upon seem, in most all cases, to be ready to accept the situation, expressing a willingness to go in case the government rulings indicate that this is necessary. The filing of claims, in other words, does not mean that all men so doing are averse to service. It is often merely a "test case" to determine whether or not the dependency rulings really apply to the case in point.

ANNOUNCEMENT

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for county commissioner at the primary election Sept. 12.

WILLIAM ROOK.

Miss Anna Klabolt has returned to her home in Alton after a pleasant visit with Miss Gertrude Benson on West Court street.

ELM GROVE PEOPLE HAD ANNUAL PICNIC

Program of Festivities Made Occasion One of Great Pleasure

Residents of Elm Grove township enjoyed their annual burgoo dinner recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Scholfield ten miles south west of Jacksonville. For these picnic events all residents of the township are considered members of the association and are invited to attend. Each year there are a few visitors but the picnics are intended particularly for the families resident in the district. For the event this year unusually good preparations had been made and the day was one which will long be remembered with special pleasure. There was a splendid picnic dinner which included soup and other savory dishes, and in the afternoon a very interesting program of literary and musical numbers was carried on concluding with "Mrs. Jarley's Wax Works."

PATRIOTIC APPEALS WILL COMBAT STRIKE

SPOKANE, Wash., Aug. 17—Patriotic appeals will be made in Washington to combat a threatened strike of I. W. W. called for next Monday in four northwestern states unless members of the organization are released from jails where they are alleged to be held illegally.

The Spokane county council of defense decided today to send out speakers to urge upon workers the patriotic necessity of harvesting crops and producing materials needed by the government.

James Rowan, District secretary of the I. W. W., estimated that on Monday 55,000 construction and agricultural workers in the four states will respond to the strike call.

THE POTATO COMES BACK

Huge Crop of Tubers Restores American Diet to Its Old Basis.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 16.—The huge potato crop which the Federal forecast indicates will be produced in the United States this year means that this important food staple will be cheaper, and makes it possible, says the United States Department of Agriculture, for American families that had to cut down on potato consumption because of high prices to restore the tuber to a prominent place on their bill of fare.

The Department forecast, based on reliable estimates from all parts of the country, places the total potato yield at more than 467 million bushels as compared with 285 million in 1916 and 360 million in 1915. Potatoes of the current season are already in the market in large quantities, and, since the early harvested tubers can not be kept easily, should be eaten more abundantly now if spoilage is to be avoided.

Next to the breadstuffs, potatoes are the most important food crop of the western nations, the Department points out. They are all the more important now that the world's wheat supply is short, since they furnish starch, the principal food element contributed by bread, and so may be substituted in part for bread.

It is no hardship to Americans, says the Department, to eat freely of potatoes; rather it has been a hardship to them during the past half year to forego somewhat the use of this common food.

URGES PROMPT ACTION BY APPEAL BOARDS

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17—Prompt action by exemption appeal boards was urged today by Provost Marshal General Crowder in a telegram to the governors declaring delays would mean that men with exemption claims undecided would escape the Sept. 5 call to the colors at the expense of others who have waived exemption. Every district must furnish thirty per cent of its quota on the first call and unless the claims of all belonging in this contingent have been decided men further down the line making no claims will have to be moved up into the vacancies.

The government desires that every man go as far as possible in his proper order.

In replying today to a letter from Senator Weeks, urging that allens be drafted for military service, President Wilson said the matter of diplomatic action to clear the way for such a step "is already interesting the department of state and I have no doubt will be pressed as fast as circumstances permit." Referring to a suggestion by the senator that men with families except those who have married to escape draft, should be exempted the president said he had reason to believe the point was "very much in the mind at any rate of most of the drafting boards," but would take pleasure in calling the attention of the war department to again.

CLARK DEFENDS TROPHY
Chicago, Aug. 17—Homer Clark of Alton, Ill., youngest of the professional trapshooters, successfully defended the all-round trapshooting championship trophy today in a match with Harrison Kennicott of St. Louis. The score was 185 to 173. The match was one of the preliminary events to the Grand American Handicap shoot which will be contested next week with more than six hundred entrants.

GERMAN REPORT EXAGGERATED
Paris, Aug. 16.—The German official report of merchant ships sunk by submarines is exaggerated forty percent, according to the results of the conference of admirals of allied navies which was held at Paris.

REMOVE JOPLIN MAYOR
Joplin Mo., Aug. 17—Mayor Hugh McIndoe, was removed from office today in a recall election the vote being greater than two to one against him.

WAR NEWS SUMMARIZED

Their counter-attacks having failed with severe losses, the Germans in the Ypres area of the western front have not resumed attempts to recapture the ground lost in the Anglo-French troops on Thursday. On the northern wing of the Ypres front the French, after repulsing heavy German counter-attacks on Friday made further gains near the Steenbeke river. Elsewhere on this front the latest British report says, there has been no change. The allied forces captured 24 guns from the Teutons and more than 1800 prisoners. While admitting an allied gain along the Yser canal and near Bixschoote where the French advanced, Berlin claims officially that most of the British attacks were repulsed and that Langemarck is still in German hands. This is officially denied in London which says that the British hold not only Langemarck but also ground beyond the villages. London also officially denied that the fighting front was 20 miles long as Berlin declares. Field Marshal Haig on Thursday reported the fighting front in the Ypres area as being nine miles in length. The German general staff reports Thursday's fighting as a full victory for the Teutons, altho admitting some reverses and claiming no gains.

Between Loos and Lens the Canadians are plugging away toward the capture of the last named place. They have consolidated their recent gains and have made further progress west of Lens. The number of prisoners taken here by the Canadians now totals 1,120.

The attacks of the German crown prince along the Aisne front have failed as did all his previous ones. One German effort was on a front of more than a mile in the region of the California plateau. It was stopped by the French artillery. The French also checked a German attack east of Cerny. The crown prince took the initiative on the right bank of the Meuse, but his attacks were broken up with loss.

The Austro-German offensive in southwestern Moldavia apparently is slowing down before the stubborn resistance of the Russians and Roumanians. The latter are still fighting desperately in the area of Foknai and the Sereb river.

GOLTRA ARRANGING FOR RIVER SHIPMENTS

BRAINERD, Minn., Aug. 17—Edward F. Goltra of St. Louis, Mo., who initiated the movement of coal on the Mississippi river from St. Louis to St. Paul, today went thru mines on the north Cuyuna range. It was stopped by the French artillery. The French also checked a German attack east of Cerny. The crown prince took the initiative on the right bank of the Meuse, but his attacks were broken up with loss.

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WILL PLAY BALL GAME AT CHAPIN

A ball game announced for Sunday promises to be a contest of unusual interest. The Jacksonville K. C.'s will meet the Chapin team at Chapin. Reams and Smith will work for Chapin and Sloan and Leary will be the battery for the K. C.'s. The teams are long time rivals.

AUTOISTS FROM OKLAHOMA

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Long, J. W. Long Jr. and Miss Sadie Long arrived in the city Thursday night in their Overland car from Rush Springs, Oklahoma. They are on their way to New York and were much pleased with their trip thus far.

SECURES RELEASE.
H. R. Fish, who was placed under arrest on charges of obtaining money under false pretenses, was released yesterday by Sheriff Graff and left for Ottawa. The sheriff had assurances from responsible residents of Ottawa that they would stand good for any obligations Fish has here.

AIRPLANES COLLIDE IN AIR; ONE DEAD

TORONTO, Ont., Aug. 17—Two airplanes flying at high speed crashed together 800 feet in the air at the Armour Heights Aviation Camp today, one of the machines bursting into flames and plunging to earth, killing the aviator, Cadet H. H. J. Dorr. The victim's neck was broken and his body badly burned. The other aviator whose name is withheld by the Royal Flying Corps, was able to manage his machine and reached earth safely.

EXPECT CONCESSIONS

IN POLAND
London, Aug. 17.—Reuter's Limited says it learns on good authority that German concessions in Poland are expected shortly, but that they will be conditional on Austria's approval. It is probable, says the agency, that the Central Powers will offer a regency composed of three eminent Polish politicians and a ministerial cabinet and council of state which will not have as members any person who belongs to the provisional council of state, the ground being taken that the latter individuals have lost Poland's confidence.

IOWA NATIONAL GUARD REGIMENT MOBILIZED

Des Moines, Ia., Aug. 17.—The Third Regiment of the Iowa National Guard, part of the division of the militia ordered to France, was mobilized at the state fair grounds today. The first regiment is being mobilized at Camp Dodge and contingents from each company selected to help fill the ranks of the third will report here Monday.

ILLINOISAN AMONG WOUNDED
Chicago, Aug. 17—The Canadian casualty list tonight contains the name of B. F. Marsh, Warsaw, Ill., among the wounded.



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TO CONSIDER POPE'S PROPOSALS THOROUGHLY

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seeming to accord perfectly with the plans of the central powers while the former is regarded as likely only to develop an interminable diplomatic embroil. The humanitarian reasons for the pope's actions are considered short-sighted as it is stated that the peace proposed is so unstable as to not guarantee its duration beyond the time necessary for the belligerents to recover from the wastage of this war and prepare for another. It is stated that the real interests of humanity require a decisive result in this war which it is held alone can prevent another.

To Hold Joint Discussion

London Aug. 17.—The allied governments will discuss jointly the peace proposals of Pope Benedict and a reply will be issued in due course, Lord Robert Cecil told The Associated Press tonight. Whether the reply will be a joint note, or as suggested in some quarters, thru the medium of the United States or by some other manner will be decided later.

"Nobody can say that the pope's peace proposals aim at a German peace," says the Tribune, "but one must ask whether the pope acted really on his own initiative or thru suggestions and pressure from the Central Powers. Still the condition contained in the papal note certainly do not particularly favor the central empires."

Has Not Modified Situation

Paris, Aug. 17.—The impression gathered in well-informed circles here is that the peace proposal of Pope Benedict has not modified the situation from the viewpoint of the entente allies. The pontiff's document will be considered with the deference due to the author, but not with the idea that it necessarily calls for a reply, because it raises no new issues and simply seeks to put the belligerents in the position they occupied at the beginning of hostilities, which, it is pointed out, is an absolute impossibility.

Particular stress is laid on the moment chosen for the sending of the note—when the military situation of the Russian and Roumanian fronts temporarily is favorable to the central powers—and on the position of the pope to leave Belgium and France to restore their own devastated regions while Germany with the Agricultural and industrial machinery of which she has stripped those regions, would enjoy a crushing economic superiority for years to come. This is considered the fatal defect in the pontiff's plan—that the allies would be precluded from economic measures for their protection against the central empires, while Germany would be allowed to profit from her invasion of Belgium and Northern France. The plan for the settlement of the case of Alsace-Lorraine, Trent and Triest is contrasted with the proposition regarding Poland, the latter

turning to the note from the Vatican Lord Robert, after prefacing his motives with the statement that inasmuch as the matter now is a subject for discussion by the allied governments he could express only his personal views:

Premature attempts at mediation are not usually successful and I fear this is premature."

THREE FILE PETITIONS FOR SCHOOL DIRECTORS.

Ora T. Hamm of Concord, Dennis Whalen of Franklin and Dr. R. J. Jones of Woodson have filed with Supt. H. H. Vasconcellos petitions for election as members of the non-high school district board. As there are but three directors to be chosen

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these men are certain of election. All of them have been actively interested in the county schools for a considerable period. The election will be held Sept. 30.

How The Farmer Makes Twenty Blades Grow Instead Of One

"The farmer's business is to grow two blades instead of one."



That was years ago when the farmer never raised over one hundred bushels of wheat a year, that for bread and seed. To grow and harvest a bushel of wheat those days represented over three hours' labor and it was worth 30 to 50 cents per bushel. Now-a-days it takes but eight minutes' time, and he raises thousands of bushels instead of hundreds. He makes twenty blades grow where but one grew. How does he do it? By scrapping a piece of machinery as soon as a better one can be had. He scrapped the scythe for the sickle; he scrapped the reaper for the binder; he scrapped the single plow for the gang plow. Now he is about to scrap horses for tractors. While he was buying all this machinery some of his advisors criticised his extravagant "wasting millions of dollars for farm machinery every year." He knew he was justified in buying this machinery and scrapping

LOWDEN POINTS TO AMERICA'S WAR DUTY

STRUGGLE AGAINST MILITARY AUTOCRACY CONCERN ALL WORLD.

Governor Declares Conflict is America's Alito Battle Line is Drawn on European Soil—It is Life and Death Struggle of Liberty and Militarism—Patriotism Must Supplant Business Greed.

Gov. Lowden's address on "America's Part in the War" was the big feature of the chautauqua opening day.

The work of the governor just now is so pressing that his promise to come was given with the assurance that his presence on the chautauqua grounds would be required only for a brief time. Gov. and Mrs. Lowden arrived from Springfield in their automobile about 2:45. They were met at the park entrance by Frank J. Heinl of the chautauqua board and were taken to the headquarters tent which is maintained by President Worthington and Mr. Heinl, and after a mere moment's stay there the governor was escorted to the platform and began his address. At the conclusion of the address Gov. and Mrs. Lowden greet-

ed people who happened to be near them and spent five minutes at the Red Cross tent and then started immediately on their return trip to Springfield. The Illinois coal situation and various problems relating to the war are just now adding so heavily to the duties of the governor that the chautauqua officers counted themselves especially fortunate in being able to secure his presence.

When Mr. Gilbert introduced Governor Lowden he said truly that no governor of this state in our time has borne such burdens. Governor Lowden began his address at once after a sentence of appreciation of the compliment paid to him by the chairman.

The governor has that simple and direct eloquence which is found in a forceful man with a message. He wastes no time with stories and casts aside any attempt at the ornate in his oration, yet the audience was impressed yesterday that the governor of the state is a most eloquent platform speaker. His theme was "The Great War and America's Relation to it." The address was a straightforward analysis of this present day question in which the speaker pointed out very plainly that this, indeed, is America's war and that the path of duty lies only in one way—to support the government in all its undertakings, if we as a people honestly hope that liberty and freedom shall live.

The Magnitude of the War.

"I have had no time," the governor said, "to prepare a speech and so will only talk to you this afternoon about those things which are most in my mind and heart. I would like to discuss with you the things that we have been trying to do at Springfield and to go into detail with you in a review of the reason that re-organization of all the public business in this state is necessary for the well-being of all. But at this time it comes to me as a duty to talk about world issues. We must think of these affairs which now present a crisis in our national life. I do not believe that the people generally contemplate the magnitude of this war or its exact relationship to this country. Once in about every two thousand years history shows us there comes a cataclysm which shakes the very principles of government. That is the crisis which this raging world war now presents and the question that we face is what this government shall be after the time of peace has come.

Result Will Affect World.

"It was just a little over two thousand years ago that a war was waged which meant the domination of the Roman empire. So the result of this war today will affect the world. There are just two vital principles in governmental affairs, one of which assumes that men are capable of self-government, and the other that they must look to some higher governing power. In all history we are aware of the clash between those representing these two principles. The war of the Revolution involved the principle of self-government. The war which is now raging along that great battle line in Europe was opened by our fathers at Lexington. The principles which they fought for and for which we are fighting are the same. The only difference between that revolutionary struggle and the one now is that the war of the Revolution involved a comparatively narrow strip of land and this war belts the world. Today these two principles are in the final struggle and when the end comes all the world will be free or else all the world will be subject to military despotism.

Military Autocracy.

"As I drove along the roadway, which brought us from Springfield to Jacksonville this afternoon and as I looked upon the fertile fields and upon the dwellings I prayed God that I might never live to see the day when autocracy should supplant the rights of free men in this state. In all that I have to say there is not one word against the German people for we are fighting for them as well as for the rank and file of our own citizenship. So it is not the German people that I speak about today but that insidious principle of military autocracy which is the growth of 150 years of Prussianism. This idea or cult has come almost to be religion with them. The people there are taught the superiority of soldiery and the youth of the land are taught that the all important theme in the country is the military establishments. This condition has resulted in a philosophy so destructive and so ably championed that the vision of many is obscured.

Might Makes Right Prussianism Says

"The professors in the schools and colleges who have adopted this insidious thought foster continually the doctrine that might makes right and they deny that there is any such thing as an international morality and they teach that the advancement of self is of first consideration. The idea has grown so during this century and a half that nearly all Germany is Prussianized. So dulled has become the sense of these leaders that they have not hesitated to defend the right to perpetrate atrocities in Belgium and France if for the moment that seems the best way to aid their government. These leaders, honest in all the ordinary relations of life, with military authority do not blush to declare that the treaty which guaranteed integrity to Belgium was merely a scrap of paper. That has all happened before.

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cause this cult has become almost a religion, and has brought these Germans to the belief that all others must finally submit to the Prussian sway.

"I am fearful that in our admiration of the achievements of the German people that we have overlooked the significance of military autocracy and that we have not fully realized that the fight now is between that German cult and our own principles of self-government and morality. The question for us is whether we shall fight along the same lines as our fathers blazed for us or whether we shall be submissive to the military rule.

An American War.

"There are many people who say 'Let us fight the war of defense but why send our boys to Europe?' If what I said about military autocracy was right, this is an American war. After many provocations Germany sunk the Lusitania and this began our war unless we wished as a nation to say to Germany, 'Treat us as gently as you can and kill just as few of us as possible.' Supposing that some little island in the Caribbean Sea had caused the sinking of that great vessel or that it had been the work of a small nation. We would have despised our government utterly if it had not brought that island or any small nation to terms. Since it happened to be Germany—that military colossus—some would have this nation close its eyes. A nation which would not forcibly represent such an outrage must soon succumb. There are certain outrages every man and woman will resent with all the powers they can summon. They prefer death to certain dishonors, and so it is with nations. The nation that calmly submits to dishonor will surely die.

Some Things Worse than War.

"I love peace as much as any man—and God grant that it may come soon—but much as I love peace I know that there are worse things than war. So I say that this is an American war and we will be recreant to our duty if we consider it only a contest which interests the European nations. Some people have an idea that strategy is some sort of a visionary or mystical science but when Gen. Grant was asked to define strategy he said, 'It is a simple thing. It is this: you find out where your enemy is, then you strike him and strike him hard.' Gen. Grant was right. Our enemy in this war is not here but on the European front and when we consider this fact it is easy to see where the path of honor and duty leads. This idea that some people have of waging a war so that no one is hurt really means the longest kind of a conflict and the one with the most deadly results.

Greed and Patriotism not Compatible

"Sometimes I think that our enemies at home are even greater than those abroad. This is a solemn period in our history. We cannot pursue two ends at the same time. The business men of this country must elect now between the amassing of wealth and serving their country. Greed and patriotism do not go hand in hand, and every business man must make his choice and must make it soon. What would many of us think of a citizen who would not give his all that an honorable peace might come to this nation? What then are we to think of men who seemingly now have their thoughts on little else but to make money. In the past few weeks I have even heard of business men who have declared that they not only wanted to make up now for the losses of past years but also to secure profit enough to guarantee them against losses in the next few years. What do you think of patriotism of that kind?

The Race for Wealth.

"Sometimes in the past few weeks I have wondered if our critics abroad were not right when they expressed the thought that America need not be feared because America cares for naught but wealth. These same critics have pointed to the decadence of discipline in school, church and home to such an extent that the people have become steeped with no other thoughts than those of personal gain. It may be that this war was necessary to purge us of our materialism, of our ungenerous mode of life, to teach us that there is something in this world far above money—far above personal ambition. At any rate the supreme issue for us now is whether or not at the close of this war we shall find our country born into a nobler patriotic life than we have lived in the last decade. In the past few months I do not believe I exaggerate in the statement that I have pointed out a thousand times to men who opposed laws because they thought their business would be injured or have favored laws they thought would help them that I did not care one iota what became of their business or their factory by comparison with the com-

mon good.

The Promise of Ft. Sheridan.

"But there is a brighter side to the picture and there are vast numbers of noble men and women whom this conflict has purged of all dross and has left them pure and refined in their lofty citizenship. Recently I visited the camp at Ft. Sheridan and there was inspiration in the sight of 5,000 young men, the flower of young manhood of three states, assembled there to learn the difficult arts of war. As I looked into their calm and earnest faces, which shamed that other spirit that I have referred to, I felt surer of the future of my country than I had even before this war began.

These men were not there to seek fortune, many of them had left lucrative business positions behind; all of them ready and anxious to enter service in the foreign field and all with the knowledge in their hearts that large proportion of them would be almost certain to find graves in foreign soil. Yet they know that this country is worth dying for, and they are ready to meet the crisis that liberty and freedom may continue to live in their home land even if it is not for them.

NO SERVICES SUNDAY

There will be no preaching service or Sunday school at Pilgrim Presbyterian church Sunday August 19, on account of the Jacksonville chautauqua.

VISITORS FROM VIRGINIA

Mrs. C. C. VanDorn and daughter Pauline, Mrs. C. W. Payne, Miss Pauline Rives of East St. Louis, Mrs. E. J. Dixon of Monmouth, Miss Helen Lewis of Newark, N. J., rode over to the city yesterday in the VanDorn car.

MRS. OLIVER BURIED AT DIAMOND GROVE

Funeral of Well Known Resident Held Friday—Bearers Were Nephews of Deceased

Funeral services for Mrs. Martha Capps Oliver were held from the residence, 518 North Church street Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock in charge of Dr. F. A. McCarty assisted by Dr. Joseph R. Harker.

Prayer was offered by Dr. Harker and the sermon was by Dr. McCarty.

An intimate insight into Mrs. Oliver's life gained thru the years gave a personal touch to Dr. McCarty's remarks. He chose as his theme "The Beauty of a Full Orb'd Life." The speaker dwelt on the intellectual strength of the deceased and her talent for poetry calling attention to the many beautiful verses penned at the death of friends. Then he spoke of the spiritual strength, high moral ideals and character. He spoke especially of the physical strength of Mrs. Oliver, telling of the work she did in a literary way despite the handicap of deafness with which she was afflicted for a number of years before her death. In concluding his remarks Dr. McCarty read three poems of Mrs. Oliver. One was written at the death of a member of her family, one at the death of a friend and the third was an Easter poem entitled "Resuram." This poem Dr. McCarty said had been regarded as probably the strongest and most beautiful of Mrs. Oliver's efforts.

There were many beautiful floral offerings and these were cared for by Mrs. Emmagene McCabe Moore, Mrs. Mattie Frank, Miss Marian Capps and Miss Eleanor Capps. Burial was in Diamond Grove cemetery the bearers being A. T. Capps, H. M. Capps, W. T. Capps, Herbert Capps and Percy Capps, all nephews of the deceased.

Those from out of town in attendance at the funeral were: Mrs. Effie Capps McCabe of Delaware, Ohio, Mrs. Margaret Oliver of Springfield, Mrs. George Moore of Winfield, Neb., and Mrs. Edward Akers of St. Louis, Mo.

Mrs. Martha Capps Oliver was the daughter of Joseph and Sarah Reid Capps and was born in Jacksonville on August 27, 1845. She grew to womanhood here and was graduated from Illinois Woman's college in 1865 to William Archibald Oliver. They made their home in Virginia, Ill., from that year until 1871, when they returned to this city which has since been her home.

BIG SALE ON SHIRT WAISTS, 25c to 95c TODAY, AT HERMAN'S.

DELEGATES RETURN FROM THE IMPERIAL PALACE

National D. O. K. K. Convention was Highly Successful Event — L. B. Turner and L. O. Vaught, the Representatives of Ilderman Temple.

L. B. Turner has returned from Cedar Point, O., where he represented Ilderman Temple, No. 62, at the Imperial Palace of the D. O. K. K. L. O. Vaught, who was also a representative has gone to Old Mission, Mich., to complete his summer vacation. Both Jacksonville delegates served on national committees. Mr. Vaught was a member of the financial committee and Mr. Turner worked with the mileage and per diem committee.

Cedar Point was an ideal place for the convention, located as it is on Lake Erie, just across from the bay from Sandusky. The attendance was large and the convention was accounted one of the most successful ever held. At the close of the convention an impressive address was made by Imperial Prince Eubanks of Atlanta, Ga. The Grand Chancellor of Ohio, Supreme Chancellor Brown, Walter B. Richie and other were in attendance and addressed the order.

Many important legislative measures were passed, including the remittance of per capita tax on those who have enlisted. Peoria was chosen as the meeting place in 1919, when the Palace will next convene.

A brilliant ceremonial was staged Monday evening at Sandusky by Bako temple of Columbus, O. The convention sessions occupied Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

Following were the officers elected:

Imperial Prince—L. R. Snowden, Peoria.

Imperial Basha—A. H. Rogers, Chattanooga.

Imperial Kadi—Gus Meese, Spokane, Wash.

Imperial Secretary—A. L. Frey, Columbus, Ohio.

Imperial Treasurer—Chas. Stansbury, Los Angeles.

Imperial Sheik—D. W. C. Yarborough, Birmingham.

Imperial Adool—Chas. Weiland, Dallas, Texas.

Imperial Ifkier—A. W. Fossum, Aberdeen, S. D.

Imperial Azim—W. H. Duthie, Barre, Vermont.

Imperial Trustee—J. G. Eager, Racine, Wis.

W. E. KRITCH AND PARTY IN AUTO SMASH-UP

As W. E. Kritch, Byron Carpenter and Miss Katherine Carter were driving eastward Friday forenoon on the state road, east of Jacksonville in Mr. Kritch's Buick car, they collided with a Ford car driven by an unknown owner and were overturned. Miss Carter sustained a slight injury to her shoulder and is at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Carpenter and under the care of Dr. Cochran. The other occupants suffered no injury.

The Ford car was pulling aside to let the Kritch car pass and without apparent reason resumed the road again just in front of the Buick making the collision inevitable. The accident happened near the farm of Nicholas Schirz. The transmission machinery of the Buick was rendered useless and the car was otherwise damaged.

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REMEMBER THE DAYS
Aug. 18 to 26th.

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NEW HAMPSHIRE "AT HOME"
Concord, N. H., Aug. 17.—For the coming week, beginning tomorrow, the cities and towns of the Granite State will welcome back their native sons and daughters, this being the official "Old Home Week" which is held annually under the auspices of the New Hampshire Old Home Week Association. There was some talk to the effect that the observance this year should be omitted on account of the war, but the midsummer festival is permanently established in New Hampshire and the sentiment on the people declared itself against any abandonment of the plans.

This will be the eighteenth annual celebration of its kind held in New Hampshire. Founded by Governor Frank W. Hollins in 1899, the idea was a success from the start, about fifty cities and towns inviting back their absent sons and daughters for "Old Home Day" celebrations that year. This number has since been

increased several fold, and this week there will be "Old Home Week" celebration of one kind or another in virtually every city, town and village of the state.

Tomorrow night, in accordance with a custom observed from the first, beacon bonfires will flash signals of welcome from mountains and hills all over New Hampshire. On Sunday union religious services will be held, generally in the oldest meeting houses of the various neighborhoods. During the rest of the week picnics and reunion gatherings of various kinds will be held, the old home comers, some of the latter hailing from Oregon, California, Texas, western Canada and other distant points.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Wilson and family have returned from Waupaca, Wis., where they have been for about three weeks.



Isn't there some particular occasion coming this summer—vacation, home comings, picnics and so many little incidents—

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BIG SALE ON WHITE WASH SKIRTS TODAY, AT HERMAN'S.

FUNERAL NOTICE

The funeral of the late William Soby will be held this afternoon at 4 o'clock at the O'Donnell establishment. The hour previously announced was 2:30.

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DRUG STORES

MANY ARE ATTENDING MEREDOSIA HOMECOMING

Large crowds present on opening, the counter attractions diminish attendance Friday—Big Program Today.

An interesting program was carried out Friday, the second day of the big annual program at Meredosia. The celebration opened Thursday with large crowds present for a first day program and the counter attractions, such as the events at Jacksonville, had an effect in cutting down attendance. Friday's events were witnessed by a large number.

Friday was Odd Fellows' day and the address by Grand Master Otis Arnold was the leading feature. The games and contests were continued and the drill by an Odd Fellow team attracted much attention. Today, the horse show will be held and this popular feature will no doubt bring forth a live interest. A large number of former residents from various states are in attendance. The fancy work, cake, bread and jelly are on exhibition in the Rewitz store rooms.

The day's festivities Thursday began with a short program in the park in the afternoon. The Meredosia band played several selections. Rev. P. A. Sorenson gave a welcome address which was full of enthusiasm.

Misses Lena Kappal and Beulah Butcher then gave an instrumental duet, which was followed by a vocal solo, "Invictus" by Elmo Galaway. Miss Gladys Galaway then gave a reading "Wet Weather Talk."

The Smith Attraction Co. then gave their free attractions on the streets consisting of trapeze performance on ladders by two girls. Another was the performing of five girls on a revolving ferris wheel. Then "Ole Barnfield" gave a comic exhibition with his Ford. The company will give three free attractions every afternoon and evening of the Home Coming. The Whitney Show Co., are giving their entertainments throughout the afternoon and evenings.

Some Prize Winners.
The following prizes have been awarded so far:

Angel Food Cake—Mrs. C. H. Kappal, first, \$1.50.

Angel Food Cake—Mrs. Bertha McLean, second, \$1.00.

Cake made with least expense—Mrs. Ruth Hoffman, first, \$1.00; Mrs. Wm. Summers, second, 75c.

White bread—Mrs. C. H. Kappal, first, 75c; Mrs. Luther Rice, second 50c.

Jelly—Mrs. H. W. Kinnett \$1.00.

Annual watermelon picnic, Woodsen, Aug. 29th.

LITTLE SIDELIGHTS ON THE BIG W.R.
More than 150,000 railway men are in the British army.

Every United States warship is soon to carry a Y. M. C. A. unit.

In the last great drive on the Somme the British "tanks" consumed 2,000,000 gallons of "gas."

The shaft of an aerial torpedo which fell in London during a raid has brought \$540 at a raffle.

Based on official figures, it is reckoned that \$500 would pay Great Britain's war bill for about 1-3 seconds.

According to figures compiled by the Royal Statistical Society, the rise in food prices since the beginning of the war is costing the seven million inhabitants of Great Britain London not less than \$300,000,000 a year.

The most remarkable case of rapid promotion in the British army is that of General Freyberg, who enlisted as a private in the very early months of the war, and at twenty-seven is now a general of brigade, wearing the Victoria Cross.

A single bakery, "somewhere in France," turns out 120,000 two-pound loaves of bread every day for the British soldiers. This is only one of many such establishments located behind the Allies' lines on the western front.

Under favorable conditions of wind and atmosphere the people living on the southeast coast of England are able to hear the sound of firing in Flanders, while, still more remarkable, the recent terrible mine explosions on the Messines sector, were distinctly heard near Dublin, a distance of 450 miles.

Some of the military aeroplanes are now fitted with phonographs, with a speaking tube running to the mouth of the observer, so that by talking into the machine at any time during the flight he can record his observations and still have his hands free for his field-glass or his sketching pencil.

It is said that by the latest methods of manufacture a German U-boat can be completed in less than 15 days. The parts have been standardized, and are stamped out of the metal at dozens of factories in all parts of Germany, each plant specializing in one part, which is despatched without delay to the naval docks. There thousands of mechanics are waiting for it, and two weeks from the time the ore leaves the mine the U-boat is ready for sea.

In France wild birds often provide artillery observers with clues as to the whereabouts of hidden batteries. Birds rise in flocks from trees in the vicinity of which guns are being fired, and when there is a lull in the activities of the concealed artillery many of them return to their former perches. A trained observer can quickly tell, from the erratic movements of flocks of birds, the approximate locality of gun batteries hidden from view.

PICNIC AT WAVERLY
A picnic and chicken fry will be given at Waverly next Wednesday Aug. 22, under the auspices of the Catholic church there. An extensive program of sports has been arranged and in the afternoon at 2 o'clock Ex-Congressman Williams of Pittsfield will give an address on "Patriotism." The Waverly Concert band will furnish music all day. The committee has announced that 10 per cent of the proceeds will be given to the Waverly Red Cross.

Miss Mary Williams of Orlando, Kansas, is a guest of Virginia friends who brought her to the city yesterday.

COOPER-MASON FUNERAL TO BE HELD TODAY

Services for Mrs. Mary Cooper at 9 o'clock this afternoon at Manchester—Rites for the Brother at Winchester Cemetery—Other News

Winchester, Ill., Aug. 17.—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Cooper will be held Saturday forenoon at 9 o'clock at the home of the deceased in Manchester. The funeral cortège will then proceed to Winchester for burial. Services for Richard Mason, who passed away the same evening as his sister, will be held when the funeral party arrives and the two will be buried side by side. The body of Mr. Mason was brought from Jacksonville today and taken to the home of Mrs. Fannie Argust, a cousin. Robert Mason, a cousin of the deceased, and M. W. Sappington, accompanied the body here.

Will Attend House Party

Miss Blanche Lind, who was here Thursday to attend the picnic at the Methodist church, has returned to her home in Decatur. Miss Mary Jackson accompanied her and will attend a house party at the home of Miss Lind.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hicks have returned to their home in Beardstown after a visit of several days with relatives here.

Miss LaFern Randolph has returned to her home in Canton and Miss Anita Ruth King has gone to her home in White Hall. Both have been visiting Miss Rhea Richardson.

Mrs. E. C. Hilling arrived Friday afternoon from Peoria to visit at the home of Miss Alice Mudd.

Many Attend Circus.

Many Winchester people were in Jacksonville Friday. Some attended the chautauqua and heard Gov. Lowden. A number witnessed the parade and attended the John Robinson show.

Russell Smith has returned to his home in Roodhouse after a visit at the home of William McLaughlin.

Robert Mann arrived Friday afternoon for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Evans.

Lou Bailey and family and Mrs. Julia Coutts left Friday for Decatur in Mr. Bailey's Oakland car.

Misses Floy Nelson and Lillian Lashmet entertained for the members of the class of 1904, Winchester High school, at the home of Miss Lashmet Thursday evening. Progressive five hundred formed a feature of a delightful evening of entertainment. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses.

Attend the picnic, chicken fry and burgoo, Waverly Wednesday, Aug. 22. Automobile show, riding and driving contests, athletic sports, band music. Address by Ex-Congressman W. E. Williams, 2 p.m. on "Patriotism." 10% of all proceeds for the Red Cross.

ALEXANDER

The Orleans Woman's Country club met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. T. Scott and a program of much interest was carried out with members and visitors present to the number of thirty. Mrs. George Holley read a paper on "The Leper Colony at Molokai" and Mrs. William Cleary presented "The Health Problem of Today." Current events were given when the roll was called. Refreshments were served by the hostess during a pleasant social hour.

Arrangements have been completed for the ice cream and cake social, to be held Saturday evening in the park by the Sunday school of Alexander M. E. church.

F. J. Kaiser is in Springfield where he underwent an operation for the same trouble which caused his illness last winter. Mr. Kaiser's condition is reported as satisfactory and friends are hoping for a speedy recovery.

Charles M. Strawn, who for the past week has been ill at a hospital in Springfield, returned to his home in Alexander Friday evening.

A number of Alexander people were visitors in Jacksonville Friday, attracted by the chautauqua and the John Robinson circus.

Miss Lucille Mason of Jacksonville will spend the day Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Mason.

Dr. Wade H. Schott is ill and has been taken for treatment to a hospital in Springfield.

The first group issued by Herbert Hoover Urges Various Economic

The first group of general rules for the United States food administration have been issued by Herbert Hoover, United States food administrator.

Arrangements have been completed for the ice cream and cake social, to be held Saturday evening in the park by the Sunday school of Alexander M. E. church.

Save the Wheat.—One wheatless meal a day. Use corn, oatmeal, rye or barley bread and non-wheat breakfast foods. Order bread twenty-four in advance so your baker will not bake beyond his needs.

Cut the loaf on the table and only as required. Use stale bread for cooking, toast, etc. Eat less cake and pastry.

Our wheat harvest is far below normal. If each person weekly saves one pound of wheat flour that means 150,000,000 more bushels of wheat for the allies to mix in their bread. This will help save democracy.

Save the Meat.—Beef, mutton or pork not more than once daily. Use freely vegetables and fish. At the meat meal serve smaller portions and stews instead of steaks. Make mashed-dishes of all left-overs. Do this and there will be meat enough for everyone at a reasonable price.

We are today killing the dairy cows and female calves as the result of high price. Therefore, eat less and eat no young meat. If we save an ounce of meat each day per person we will have additional supply equal to 2,200,000 cattle.

Save the Milk.—The children must have milk. Use every drop. Use buttermilk and sour milk for cooking and making cottage cheese. Use less cream.

Save the Fats—We are the world's greatest fat wasters. Fat is food. Butter is essential for the growth and health of children. Use butter on the table as usual but not in cooking. Other fats are as good. Reduce use of fried foods. Save daily one-third ounce animal fats. Soap contains fats. Do not waste it. Make your own washing soap at home out of the saved fats.

Use one-third ounce less per day of animal fat and 375,000 tons will be saved yearly.

Save the Sugar—Sugar is scarce. We use today three times as much per person as our allies. So there may be enough for all at reasonable price; use less candy and sweet drinks. Do not stint sugar in putting up fruit and jams. They will save butter.

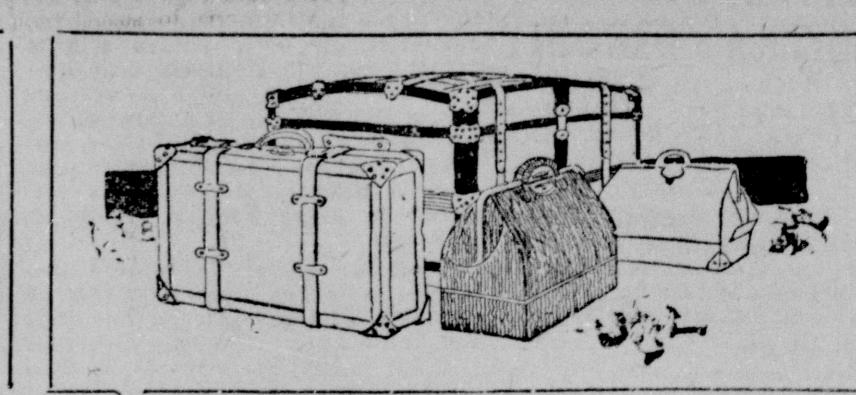
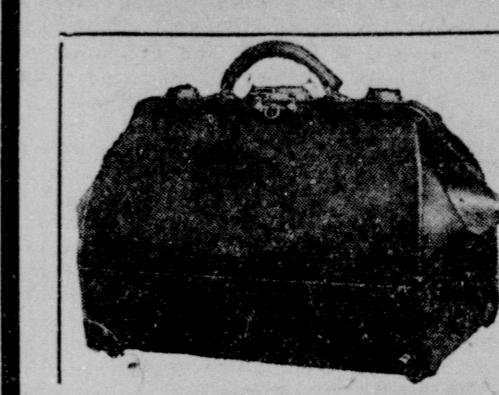
If everyone in America saves one ounce of sugar daily it means 1,100,000 tons for the year.

Save the Fuel—Coal comes from a distance and our railways are overburdened hauling war material. Help relieve them by burning fewer fires. Use wood when you can get it.

Use the Perishable Foods—Fruits and vegetables we have in abundance. As a nation we eat too little green stuffs. Double their use and improve your health. Store potatoes and other roots properly and they will keep. Begin now to can or dry all surplus garden products.

Another Wheats and Oats Record

Threshing has just been completed on the farm of J. M. Stewart west of the city, where a remarkable yield was made from a field of oats. Thirty acres of the Texas variety threshed out 86 bushels to the acre. A field of 40 acres averaged 79 bushels and Mr. Stewart's 32 acre field of hard wheat made an average of 37½ bushels.



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FOOD ADMINISTRATOR ISSUES RULES

First Group Issued by Herbert Hoover Urges Various Economic

General Rules

Buy less, serve smaller portions.

Preach the "Gospel of the Clean Plate."

Don't eat a fourth meal.

Don't limit the plain food of growing children.

Watch out for wastes in the community.

Full garbage pails in America

and empty dinner pails in America

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REVIVAL MEETING
AT MEREDOSIA

Services Conducted By Evangelist
Towle are Well Attended—News
Notes from West Side of County.

Meredosia, Aug. 17.—Wm. King
of Milton is visiting with his
daughter Mrs. J. P. Bauer and family.

Mrs. Emma Beauchamp and
daughter Pearl are visiting this
week at the home of Mr. and Mrs.
John Beauchamp.

Mr. and Mrs. Royal Kratz of
Bowling Green, Mo., are spending
the week end with their parents,
Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kratz and Mr.
and Mrs. J. D. McLain.

Mrs. Tillie Murphy of Des Moines
is visiting her sister Mrs. Alice
Wade and other sisters and brothers
and attending the Home Coming.

Mrs. Howard Rhodes of Pittsfield
arrived Thursday for a visit with
her parents Mr. and Mrs. Frank
Unland.

Miss Emma Clark of Versailles
is the guest of Miss Eleana Boll
yard.

Miss Stella Burrus of Dawson is
the guest of Mrs. Luther Rice during
the Home Coming.

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Hollis and
daughter Vida and Zera of Macomb
motored to this city Thursday and
are visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. B.
Fields.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Harbert and
daughter Dorothy of Shelbyville,
Mo., arrived Wednesday for a visit
with their parents, Mr. and Mrs.
Isaac Harbert and Mr. and Mrs.
Charles Bollard.

George and Vera Todd of Jacksonville
are among the many Home Coming visitors.

Mrs. E. K. Towle of Jacksonville
is visiting her husband who is con
ducting the revival services in this
city.

Lloyd Nunn of Chapin is visiting
his sister, Mrs. Maurice McLain.
Edward Dennis of Chambersburg
was a business visitor here Wednesday.

Fred Hall of Springfield visited
his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hall
Tuesday.

I. M. Whitlock and family of Ox
ville are visiting Mr. and Mrs.
Charles Summers.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Steplin de
parted Monday for Milwaukee, Wis.,
to visit relatives and to attend a
golden wedding anniversary of a
relative.

L. F. Hite of Jacksonville was
a business visitor here Wednesday
and Thursday.

The following is the stage of
water in the Illinois river at this
point, for the past week as reported
by S. D. Allen, bridge tender:

Above low water mark
Feet Inches

Aug. 9	7	.9
Aug. 10	7	.7
Aug. 11	7	.6
Aug. 12	7	.5
Aug. 13	7	.4
Aug. 14	7	.4
Aug. 15	7	.3

The revival services at the tent
under Evangelist Towle of Jacksonville
are well attended and interest
growing. Several have made
professions in Christ. Services every
afternoon and evening thruout the
week.

The steamer Columbia will run
an excursion from Montezuma to
Beardstown Friday, Aug. 24 on ac
count of the annual carnival and fish
fry. The boat will arrive here at
10 o'clock a. m. arriving here in the
evening at 6:30 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Fugate of
Springfield were among the many
Home Coming visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jorden and
family of Granite City motored to
this city Thursday to visit Mrs. Jorden's
parents Mr. and Mrs. H. C.
Wegehoff.

Mrs. Ellen James who has been
in Chanderville for some time ar
rived home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Brown of
Springfield are the guests of Mr.
and Mrs. Rube Ham.

Mr. and Mrs. James Boyd of Bay
Isle were business visitors here Thurs
day.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Hillig, daugh
ters Ernestine and Grace are at
tending the Home Coming and visit
ing F. A. Hillig and daughter Hat
field.

Mrs. L. Joseph and children of
St. Louis are spending the week
with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom
Dudhope.

Prof. Jarman and wife are enter
taining the latter's parents Mr. and
Mrs. Wm. Kenney of Sparland.

Mrs. Caroline Rider and son Wm.
Garner of Chanderville arrived
Thursday to visit Mr. and Mrs. John
Yeakel.

CONSIDERATION LAGS.
Washington, Aug. 15.—Senate
consideration of the \$2,000,000,000
war tax bill lagged today, debate on
committee amendments halting for
set speeches and discussion on the
settled shipping board row and other
subjects. Tomorrow it is expected
that the finance committee's re
vision of the house bill will be taken
up again and rapidly disposed of,
the leaders still being confident of
passing the bill late next week.

M. W. Pl'dmore of Roodhouse
rode up to the city in his Hudson
car yesterday.

AMERICAN TROOPS
MARCH THRU LONDON

Millions of Englishmen Cheer
Themselves Hoarse

Streets Banked Solidly Hours Before
March Begins—Greatest Crowd
Gathers in Front of Buckingham
Palace—King Reviews Soldiers.

London, Aug. 15—Millions of
Englishmen cheered themselves
hoarse today when American troops
marched thru London.

The streets were banked solidly
with men, women and children hours
before the march began; and when
the troops swung into White Hall
a roar of cheers arose which was
heard several blocks away.

All traffic was stopped. Windows
and roofs were crowded. Persons
in the throngs of spectators contin
ually shouted out greetings.

King Reviews Troops.

The greatest crowd gathered in
front of Buckingham Palace. The
people completely filled the broad
plaza and overflowed to the palace
grounds.

The king, accompanied by the
queen, the household staff and
officers took his place at the gate.
The Americans then filed past, eyes
left, officers at salute, while the
bands played and the cheering and
waving of flags continued.

As the first stars and stripes passed
with the ranks the king and his
party raised their hands in salute.
The flag was dipped and the crowd
roared approval so vigorously that
the king was forced to smile.

A slight rain fell during the re
view but not a spectator departed.
As each flag passed the king saluted
and the enthusiasm of the crowds
became almost uncontrollable.

After the review the Americans
camped temporarily in the park at
the rear of the palace. There they
rested and had lunch after which
they resumed the march thru the
city, the earlier scenes being re
peated. Later they departed from
Waterloo Station.

Papers Praise Soldiers.
The evening newspapers unite in
praise of the American soldiers.
The Standard displays on the front
page the large headline.

"Sons of Pilgrims, Back in Lon
don," under which it says:

"Lean, lithe, straightbacked, thin
limped, set jawed, they impressed
everybody as doers rather than
dreamers. They are a distinct set
of men of a definite type, distinctly
United States."

The Westminster Gazette ob
serves:

"Not since the war broke out have
there been such manifestations of
enthusiasm, such density of crowds.
The procession brought home vividly
to London the fact that we have a
great new ally."

The Pall Mall Gazette says the
procession "is a visible sign that the
Old World and the New are one,
that the civilization of the west
knows no geographical barriers."

Just before the American left Lon
don taxi-cabs filled with old men
fell in behind the procession. They
bore big banners inscribed, London
division, United States civil war veterans.
The veterans stood up in the
cabs and cheered the troops respond
ing.

The officers had for several days
contemplated the march of the
American troops thru London but
the fact was kept secret.

**All kinds of cool summer
wear—best at Knoles'.**

NAPLES

Mrs. J. M. Ritter spent Tuesday in
Bluffs relatives.

The excursion boat Columbia was
plying the waters of the Illinois river
between Meredosia and Havana Tues
day evening, giving all who would a
sail.

Rev. Haas and wife accompanied
by Arthur Pyle and wife of Bluffs,
were entertained at the home of
Norman Campbell near Merritt Mon
day evening, driving over in the for
mer's car.

Miss Margaret Lynn of New Cam
bria, Mo., after a three months' visit
with her sister, Mrs. Clarence Hat
field, and other relatives and many
friends, returned to her home Wed
nesday accompanied by her grand
mother, Mrs. Mart Snow, who will
spend some time visiting in the
"show me" state.

The annual picnic of the Oxville
M. E. church will be held in the
Sears grove north of town, Wednes
day, Aug. 22. Everybody is cordially
welcomed to attend. The Merritt
band will furnish the music.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Ritter enter
tained Rev. George E. Haas and wife
with a delicious Sunday dinner fol
lowing the preaching services.

Lawrence English and mother,
Mrs. Pauline English of Englewood,
Chicago, are visiting relatives here
this week.

Miss Margaret Lawson of Peoria,
is taking a short respite in the de
lights of country life at the home of
her sister, Mrs. James Chambers,
just south of town.

Mrs. Walla Hatfield and Mrs.
Charles Quintel accompanied Rev.
and Mrs. Haas in attendance at the
Red Cross meet in the chautauqua
tent, Jacksonville, to hear ex-Gov.
Richard Yates. The governor, unique
in mannerism, is interesting as ever.
He sure has the Red Cross work on
his heart.

Archie Savoie, in the train mail
service, is entertaining his mother,
Mrs. M. Senesac, and sister, Mrs. Lilie
Wobier of Kankakee, this week,
this being his few days off from ser
vice.

**COURT WITHOUT
JURISDICTION**

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MY SIGNATURE
Paul Skinner
ON EVERY PACKAGE

Ira Thomas and H. A. Moson of
Belleview were numbered among the
business visitors in the city yester
day.

BURLINGTON INCREASES
CAR EFFICIENCY

Figures Made Public Show System
Has Effected Increase in Average
Tons per Loaded Car for Month of
June—Co-operation is General
Along Line.

Chicago, Aug. 17.—Figures made
public by the Burlington show that
system has effected an increase of
28 per cent in average tons per loaded
car for the month of June, 1917, com
pared with June, 1916. The road
handled 4,918,227 tons of freight, an
average of 29.38 tons per car in
June, 1917, and 22.98 tons per car
in June, 1916, an increase of 6.4
tons per car. This increase in average
loading represents a saving of
46,622 cars for the month.

"This increase in car efficiency
has not been due entirely to the
efforts of the Burlington's manage
ment and its employes," said H. E.
Byram, vice president in charge of
operation, in commenting upon these
figures. "A large part of the credit
for the increased loading of cars is
due to co-operation on the part of
shippers along the line. To a re
markable degree our shippers have
exhibited a sense of appreciation of
what the Burlington, in common
with other systems, is attempting to
do in furnishing the greatest possible
volume of transportation with the
amount of equipment that is available.
The practical effect of this co
operation is clearly shown by the
large number of cars made available
for other purposes as a result of
loading cars more nearly to capacity."

This same spirit of co-operation
appears to have developed rather
generally, in the last few months,
throughout the United States, the not
always to the same extent as shown
by the Burlington record. Reports
from roads having a mileage of 173,
000 miles and handling about 80
per cent of the total traffic, show an
average of 25.8 tons per loaded car in
May, 1916, and of 27.2 tons in
May, 1917, an increase of 1.4 tons
per car, or 5.4 per cent. In the Eastern
and southern districts the average
increase for the same period was
1.5 tons, or 5.5 per cent; and in the
Western District there was the
same increase in tons per car, but
the per cent of increase was 6.4.

In April, 1916, reports from roads
representing 227,000 miles oper
ated show an average loading of 23.4
tons per loaded car, and in April,
1917, an average of 25.6 tons, an
increase of 2.2 tons per car, or 9.4
per cent. There was an increase in
the Eastern District of 2.8 tons per
car, in the Southern District, 2.9
tons per car, and in the Western
District, 1.6 tons per car, in April, 1917,
compared with April, 1916.

In April, 1917, reports from roads
representing 66,600,000,000 more ton
miles of freight traffic than in any
previous year, an increase of almost
25 per cent. Since the present drive
for still greater efficiency was begun
in April, they have still further
greatly increased the amount of traffic
handled with only a negligible
increase in the number of locomotives,
cars and in service. In the month of May, 1917, as compared with
the month of May, 1916, the increase
in the number of freight locomotives
in service was only one-half of one per
cent and the increase in the number of
freight cars in service was only one-half
per cent, and yet the increase in the
amount of freight traffic handled
was about 6,000,000,000 ton miles,
16 per cent. This meant an increase
in the traffic handled by each freight
locomotive of 1.5 to 1.2 per cent and an
increase in the traffic handled with
each freight car of 14 per cent. The
railways are being blamed for the
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Federal Department of Interior
shows that in the first seven months
of this year they handled 5,500,000
tons, or 14 per cent more coal than
they did in the same months be
fore.

INCREASE SERVICE.

"The railway managements, under
the leadership of the Railroads' War
Board, are making a tremen
dous drive," said Mr. Dunn, "to so
increase the service obtained from
every locomotive, every car, every
mile of track, and every yard, as to
cause the railways to do their share
in helping America to win the war.
They are voluntarily pooling their
facilities and disregarding the inter
ests and the rights of individual rail
ways lines in the effort to cause the
railways as a whole to render the
maximum amount of useful service
to the nation.

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Finish—Grover Breaks Up Game
in Twelfth—Thousands of Soldiers
Give Drill Before Game—Other
Scores

Chicago, Aug. 17—Chicago slipped down to second place in the pennant race today when they lost to Philadelphia while Boston won from Cleveland. The score was 9 to 7. The game was nip and tuck from start to finish, and was broken up in the twelfth inning by Connie Mack's recruit second baseman, Grover, whose triple to the center field wall after Jamieson had singled sent the winning run across. He counted also on Bodie's single and clinched the victory. One thousand soldiers were the guests of President Comiskey and they gave an exhibition drill for half an hour before the game.

Score:

Philadelphia AB. R. H. O. A. E.

Jamieson, rf 4 1 2 0 0

Grover, 2b 6 1 3 4 2

Bodie, lf 6 1 2 5 0

Pates, 3b 4 1 0 2 4

Strunk, cf 5 3 4 1 0

McInnis, 1b 4 0 1 11 0

Chang, c 5 1 3 7 2

Witt, ss 0 0 0 0 0

Dugan, ss 4 1 1 4 2

Schauer, p 1 0 0 0 1

Griffith, x 1 0 0 0 0

Johnson, p 1 0 1 0 2

Bush, p 2 0 1 0 0

Totals 43 9 17 36 14 2

Chicago AB. R. H. O. A. E.

Leibholz, rf 5 1 2 4 6 0

McMullin, 3b 3 1 0 1 1

E. Collins, 2b 6 0 2 4 2

Jackson, lf 4 1 2 3 0

Felsch, cf 4 0 2 3 1

Gandil, 1b 5 1 1 15 1

Risberg, ss 5 1 1 2 5 0

Schalk, c 5 1 1 4 3 0

Scott, p 1 0 0 0 3 0

Danforth, p 0 0 0 0 0 1

Faber, p 1 0 0 0 0 3

Murphy, z 1 1 0 0 0 0

Cicotte, p 2 0 0 0 3 0

Russell, zz 1 0 0 0 0 0

Totals 43 7 13 35 22 2

x—Batted for Schauer in 3rd.

z—Batted for Faber in 7th.

zz—Batted for Cicotte in 12th.

y—Bates out for passing Bodie on the base line.

Score by Innings:

Philadelphia 003 031 000 002—9

Chicago 120 002 200 000—7

Summary

Two base hits—Schalk, Dugan. Three base hits—Grover. Stolen bases—Strunk. Sacrifice hits—Grover, McMullin, 3; Witt, McInnis, Johnson. Sacrifice flies—Jamieson, Chang, Gandil. Double plays—Johnson to Dugan to McInnis; Felsch to Risberg to E. Collins to Gandil. Left on bases—Philadelphia 14; Chicago 12. First on errors—Chicago 1. Bases on balls—Scott 3; Schauer 1; Danforth 1; Faber 2; Bush 7; Cicotte 2. Hits and earned runs—Scott 4 and 3 in 2 1-3; Danforth 6 and 3 in 2 1-3; Faber 1 and 1 in 2 1-3; Cicotte 6 and 2 in 5; Schauer 4 and 2 in 2; Johnson 4 and 2 in 4; Bush 5 and 2 in 6. Hit by pitcher—by Scott (Bates); Cicotte (Bates). Struckout—by Danforth 3; Johnson 1; Bush 4; Cicotte 1. Umpires—Evans and Moriarty. Time—3:15.

BOSTON 3; CLEVELAND 1

Cleveland, O., Aug. 17—Mays out-pitched Bagby and Boston won the first game of the series 3 to 1. Boston bunched two hits with a sacrifice fly in the first and three singles in the third. Double plays stopped several Boston rallies.

Score:

Boston AB. R. H. O. A. E.

Walsh, cf 4 1 1 1 0 0

Barry, 2b 4 1 2 3 5 0

Hoblitzel, 1b 4 0 1 12 0 0

Gardner, 3b 3 0 0 2 0 0

Hooper, rf 4 0 1 2 0 0

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HOW THEY STAND

NATIONAL LEAGUE

New York	69	36	.657
Philadelphia	57	44	.553
St. Louis	58	53	.523
Chicago	57	54	.513
Cincinnati	58	56	.508
Boston	45	47	.489
Brooklyn	52	56	.481
Pittsburgh	35	72	.327

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Boston	68	42	.618
Chicago	70	44	.617
Cleveland	61	55	.526
Detroit	59	54	.522
New York	53	53	.500
Washington	52	58	.473
Philadelphia	42	64	.396
St. Louis	41	72	.363

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Pittsburgh	AB. R. H. O. A. E.
Jackson, lf 4 0 0 4 0 0	
Bigbee, rf 4 0 0 0 0 1	
Carey, cf 3 0 1 2 0 0	
Boeckel, 3b 4 0 0 1 0 0	
Ward, ss 3 0 1 0 3 1	
Miller, 1b 3 0 0 8 1 0	
Pitter, 2b 3 0 1 2 3 0	
Fischer, c 3 0 0 6 3 0	
Jacobs, p 2 0 0 0 0 0	
Grimes, p 1 0 0 0 0 0	

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Boston	AB. R. H. O. A. E.
St. Louis	5; New York, 2.
Chicago-Boston—rain.	

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Pittsburgh	at Philadelphia, 3-7.
St. Louis	5; New York, 2.
Chicago-Boston—rain.	

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Washington	at Philadelphia.
Cincinnati	at Brooklyn.
Chicago	at Boston.
St. Louis	at New York.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Pittsburgh	at Philadelphia.
St. Louis	5; New York, 2.
Chicago-Boston—rain.	

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Washington	at Philadelphia.
Philadelphia	at Chicago.
New York	at St. Louis.
Boston	at Cleveland.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

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St. Louis	5; New York, 2.
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FRIDAY WAS CIRCUS DAY FOR JACKSONVILLE

John Robinson Shows Presented Programs Which Pleased Big Audiences—Parade One of Best Seen Here.

John Robinson's circus was in town yesterday and its advent took many of us back to our boyhood days. In fact men are always more or less boys and it only needs a circus to bring it out. For several weeks there has been an air of expectancy on the faces of the young and old boys of the city.

Yesterday morning there was not a boy in town that needed to be called for breakfast. Long before that hour most of them were out of bed and down at the railroad station waiting to see the show unload. One of the most enthusiastic of these was Major Dalton, who has been watching circuses unload for many years.

Owing to a small wreck the circus was late in getting in but when it arrived the splendid system which is characteristic of every circus was soon in evidence and it did not take long to get the show on the lot. For several years it has been difficult to get canvassers owing to the high wages offered in munition plants and other lines of business.

This resulted in circus owners turning to other sources. With their usual resourcefulness it did not take long to overcome shortage of labor. Robinson's shows have a large herd of elephants and these were pressed into service in the work of erecting the tents and pulling the wagons. When the shows reached the lot Friday about 150 boys were engaged to assist in spreading the canvas. Then the elephants were hitched to the large center poles and the tents were soon up. The elephants also were used in placing the wagons, thus saving extra work for the horses.

Tho late in arriving the management sent an announcer uptown with the news that the parade would be given as advertised. Thousands of spectators from the city and adjacent country lined the streets for several hours before the parade finally appeared. It was well worth the wait, however, as many expressions of approval were heard as the finely decorated wagons, beautiful horses and gorgeously dressed performers passed thru the streets.

The parade did not get back to the circus grounds until nearly time for the afternoon performance. However, there was little delay and the big tent was filled to overflowing when the grand entree was made shortly after 2 o'clock.

Then followed the wonderful feats in ring, on trapeze and platform such as bewildering multiplicity that one hardly knew which way to turn. The John Robinson shows have been visiting Jacksonville for many years. It has always satisfied and the performances yesterday were fully up to the standard of past years.

There was an equally large crowd at the evening performance and the show was given in its entirety. One of the most interesting features of the show, and one that delights the hearts of the children is the menagerie. The Robinson shows have a splendid menagerie and this was given close inspection both on entering and on coming out.

During the day the best of order prevailed and the police reported little or no law violation. The management of the Robinson's shows insist on good clean, moral employees and this has resulted in making a visit of the show a real pleasure.

NOTICE OF AWARD.
Notice is hereby given that the Board of Local Improvements of the City of Jacksonville, Illinois, at a meeting held on the 13th day of August, A. D. 1917, did award the contract for the construction of the local improvement of the roadways of South West, West Morgan, South Sandy streets, East and West College avenue, South Mauvaisterre, East Morgan, North and South East streets, East Court, North Mauvaisterre and East and West North streets in accordance with plans and specifications on file in the office of the City Clerk in said City, as provided in an ordinance passed by the said Board at its meeting April 2nd, 1917, to John E. Bretz of Jacksonville, Ill., on his proposal as follows: 12,360 sq. yds. Creosoted wood block paving complete in place @ \$2.46; 2371 cu. yds. excavating, grading and preparing sub-base at 40c; 540 lin. ft. sandstone curb complete in place @ 60c; 4968 lin. ft. concrete curbing @ 40c; 1734 lin. ft. of cutting thru sidewalks @ 20c; 13 cast iron, storm-water inlets @ \$14.50 each; 5 brick catch-basins with cast iron tops, complete in place @ \$30 each; 134 lin. ft. 10 in. diameter clay sewer pipe complete in place @ 70c.

Dated this Aug. 15th, 1917.

Henry J. Rodgers,
President of the Board of Local Improvements of Jacksonville, Ill.

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